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NEWS RELEASES

FCC GRANTS WRWR-TV, SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO
TO AERCO BROADCASTING CORP. OF PUERTO
RICO (Report No. MM 95-48, Mass Media Action)
Action by the Commission June 19 by MO&O
(FCC 95-259).

News Media contact: Kara Palamaras at (202) 418-
0500; Mass Media Bureau contact: Marlene Dortch at (202)
418-1630.

NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING COMMITTEE REACHES
FULL CONSENSUS ON PROPOSED FCC RULES FOR
WIRELINE TELEPHONE HEARING AID
COMPATIBILITY AND VOLUME CONTROL - CC
DOCKET NO. 87-124 (Report No. DC 95-90, Action in
Docket Case)

An FCC advisory committee proposed that all
telephones in the workplace, confined settings, and hotels
and motels will be hearing aid compatible and have volume
control.

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418-1573; Common Carrier Bureau contact: Greg Lipscomb
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PUBLIC NOTICES

EX PARTE PRESENTATIONS AND POST-REPLY
COMMENT PERIOD FILINGS IN NON-RESTRICTED
PROCEEDINGS - Contact: Barbara Lowe at (202) 418-0310

Report No. 23534 - BROADCAST APPLICATIONS

Report No. 43534 - BROADCAST ACTIONS

US WEST COMMUNICATIONS, ET AL., FILED A
JOINT PETITION FOR WAIVER OF THE DEFINITION
OF A "STUDY AREA" CONTAINED IN PART 36
APPENDIX-GLOSSARY AND SECTION 61.41(C)(2) OF
THE COMMISSION'S RULES - Comments due by July
28, replies by August 11. Contact Adrian Wright at (202)
418-0830 [DA 95-1343]

Report No. 8066 - PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED
FOR COMMENTS ON MCI'S PETITION FOR
DECLARATORY RULING REQUESTING THAT THE
COMMISSION FIND AND DECLARE THAT AN
INCREASE IN FOREIGN OWNERSHIP OF MCI'S
STOCK FROM 28% TO 35% IS IN THE PUBLIC
INTEREST AND NOT A TRANSFER OF CONTROL -
Comments are due July 10, replies July 24 - Contact: Kathy
Dole at (202) 418-1460, Mary Cobbs at (202) 418-1492, or

Janice Alston at (202) 418-1493.

TARIFF TRANSMITTAL PUBLIC REFERENCE LOGS -
June 20, June 21

Report No. PRA 95-007 - PUBLIC INFORMATION
COLLECTION REQUIREMENTS SUBMITTED TO
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET FOR
REVIEW - Contact Dorothy Conway at (202) 418-0217

TEXTS

CLARENDON, TX. Amended FM table to allot Channel 257C2 to Clarendon; filing window: August 7-September 7. (MM Docket No. 95-24, by R&O [DA 95-1315] adopted June 13 by the Chief, Allocations Branch, Mass Media Bureau).

CANOVANAS, CULEBRA, LAS PIEDRAS, MAYAGUEZ, QUEBRADILLAS, SAN JUAN, AND VIEQUES, PR, AND CHRISTIANSTED AND FREDERIKSTED, VI. Amended FM table to allot Channel 251A to Santa Isabel and Channel 253A to Frederiksted; to reallocate Channel 291B from Christiansted to Vieques, and modify Station WVIS's license accordingly; to substitute Channel 252A for Channel 252B at Vieques, reallocate Channel 252A to Las Piedras, and modify Station WSAW's license accordingly; and to substitute Channel 258A for Channel 252A at Quebradillas and modify Station WQQZ's license accordingly. (MM Docket No. 91-259, by R&O [DA 95-1323] adopted June 13 by the Chief, Allocations Branch).

BOSTON CELTICS BROADCASTING LIMITED PARTNERSHIP. Notified Boston Celtics Broadcasting, licensee WFXT(TV), of an apparent liability for forfeiture in the amount of \$10,000 for repeated violations of the Commission's rule limiting the amount of commercial matter that may be aired during children's programming, and granted renewal of the license. (By Letter [DA 95-1293] adopted June 9 by the Chief, Mass Media Bureau)

PARAMOUNT STATIONS GROUP OF PHILADELPHIA, INC. Notified Paramount, licensee WTXF(TV), of an apparent liability for forfeiture in the amount of \$15,000 for repeated violations of the Commission's rule limiting the amount of commercial matter that may be aired during children's programming. (By Letter [DA 95-1350] adopted by Chief, Mass Media Bureau)

TIME WARNER CABLE. Granted TWC's petition regarding application of the cable network nonduplication rules to its Tehachapi, CA, system. (By MO&O [DA 95-1313] adopted June 9 by the Cable Services Bureau).

TIME WARNER CABLE. Denied TWC's petition and

required TWC to carry KSHH-TV on its systems in Harris County, Ft. Bend County, and Brazaria County, TX, (By MO&O [DA 95-1295] adopted June 8 by the Cable Services Bureau)

DUCHOSSOIS COMMUNICATIONS CO. OF MARYLAND, INC. AND LIBERTY BROADCASTING OF MARYLAND, INC. Affirmed the assignment of license of WHFS from DCC to Liberty. (By MO&O (FCC 95-215) adopted June 5 by the Commission)

PALMETTO CABLEVISION. Denied Palmetto's petition seeking exemption from the Commission's network nonduplication rules in Augusta, GA. (By MO&O [DA 95-1324] adopted June 9 by the Cable Services Bureau)

AMENDMENT OF PARTS 22, 90, AND 94 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES TO PERMIT ROUTINE USE OF SIGNAL BOOSTERS. Proposed to allow eligible licensees to operate signal boosters without separate authorization from the Commission. (WT Docket No. 95-70, by NPRM (FCC 95-204) adopted May 17 by the Commission)

AMENDMENT OF PART 0 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES TO REFLECT A REORGANIZATION OF THE OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL. Created a Competition Division within the Office of General Counsel. (By Order [DA 95-1397] adopted June 21 by the Managing Director)

ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF REGULATORY FEES FOR THE 1994 FISCAL YEAR. Granted in part and denied in part petitions for reconsideration and clarification of the FY 1994 Report and Order. (MD Docket No. 94-19, by MO&O (FCC 95-257) adopted June 15 by the Commission)

BELLSOUTH. Denied BellSouth's petition seeking clarification of FCC rules to allow BellSouth to resell cellular service without having to first establish a separate subsidiary for such purpose. (By Order [DA 95-1401] adopted June 21 by the Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau).

SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY. Extended to July 6 and July 19 the deadlines for filing comments and replies, respectively, to petitions to deny filed against SNET's video dialtone application for Connecticut. (By Order [DA 95-1408] adopted June 22 by the Chief, Policy and Program Planning Division, Common Carrier Bureau)

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ADDENDA: The following items, released June 21, did not appear on Digest No. 118:

PUBLIC NOTICES

COMMON CARRIER BUREAU ESTABLISHES
EXPEDITED PROCESSING PROCEDURES FOR

PETITIONERS SEEKING PART 36 STUDY AREA
WAIVERS [DA 95-1344]

Report No. DS-1543 - SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS
SERVICES INFORMATION

TEXT

PETITIONS FOR WAIVER OF THE DEFINITION OF
"STUDY AREA" CONTAINED IN PART 36,
APPENDIX-GLOSSARY OF THE COMMISSION'S
RULES. Ruled that effective immediately, local exchange
carriers shall file with the Commission as part of any
petition for waiver of a study area boundary, a state
document allowing a proposed reconfiguration of study area
boundaries. (By Order [DA 95-1403] adopted June 21 by
the Chief, Common Carrier Bureau)

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ADDENDUM: The following item, released June 19, was
not included on Digest No. 116:

NEWS RELEASE

FCC TO IMPLEMENT NEW GUIDELINES TO
IMPROVE THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS

The Commission will implement a number of
internal guidelines designed to further improve the decision-
making process.

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